



Cornell University

**Candidates in Constituency Campaigns from a Comparative Perspective
Is Collectivist Representation in Established Party Democracies under Stress?**

Schedule

Friday, 2. October 2009

9:00 – 9:30 Welcome
 Thomas Zittel (Cornell University)

II. Constituency campaigns under SMD

9:30 – 10:00 Is there a way forward for the study of constituency campaigning in Britain?
 David Denver (Lancaster University, UK)

10:00 – 10:30 Constituency campaigning in Canada
 William Cross (Carleton University, Canada)

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:00 Comments and Discussion
 Comments by Peter Enns (Cornell University)

12:00 – 13:30 Lunch in the Yale Room, Statler Hotel

III. Constituency campaigns in proportional systems (I)

13:30 – 14:00 When do individual candidates individualise their constituency campaigns?
 Reflections from the Finnish experience
 David Arter (University of Tampere, Finland)

14:00 – 14:30 Candidate and party campaigns in open list PR elections: the case of Switzerland
 Georg Lutz (University of Lausanne, Switzerland)/Peter Selb (University of
 Konstanz, Germany)

- 14:30 – 15:00 Belgian candidates in search of a constituency
Lieven de Winter (Catholic University of Louvain, Louvain-la-Neuve)
- 15:00 – 15:30 Coffee Break
- 15:30 – 16:30 Comments and Discussion
Comments by Christopher J. Anderson (Cornell University) and Kenneth M. Roberts (Cornell University)

Program for active participants

- 18:30 Dinner at ZaZa's, 622 Cascadilla Street

Saturday, 3. October 2009

IV. Constituency campaigns in proportional systems (II)

- 8:30 – 9:00 Party Democracy and Individualized Constituency Campaigning: Candidates Strategies and Behavior in the 2006 Austrian Elections
Nikolaus Eder/Marcello Jenny/Wolfgang C. Müller (University of Vienna, Austria)
- 9:00 – 9:30 Candidates in Constituency Campaigns in Germany: Selective campaigning from the grassroots or from above?
Thomas Zittel (Cornell University)/Thomas Gschwend (University of Mannheim, Germany)
- 9:30 – 10:30 Comments and Discussion
Comments by Seth Jolly (Syracuse University)
- 10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

V. Constituency campaigns under STV

- 11:00 – 11:30 Constituency campaigning in Ireland under STV: The candidate's perspective
Michael Marsh (Trinity College Dublin, Ireland)
- 11:30 – 12:00 Comments and Discussion
Comments by Sherry L. Martin (Cornell University)
- 12:00 – 13:00 Lunch in Yale Room, Statler Hotel

Program for active participants

13:00 – 14:00	Final Discussion on Special Issue
17:00	Pick-up at Hilton Garden Inn via taxi to Sheldrake Point for Wine Flight & Dinner
21:00	Pick-up from Sheldrake Point via taxi to return to Hilton Garden Inn

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